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Claim Amendments

A listing of the claims, including Claims 1, 3, 4, 7, 18, 19, 23, 24, 29-31, 51-54, 62 and 67-70 as currently cancelled, and new Claims 72-78 added, is set forth below.

1-71. (Canceled)

72. (New) A method of inhibiting the development of vascular disease in a mammal having diabetes, the method comprising treating the mammal with a pharmaceutically acceptable composition comprising GLP-1 (9-36) sufficient to inhibit the development of vascular disease in the mammal.

73. (New) The method of claim 72, wherein the disease is an atherosclerotic or microvascular disease.

74. (New) The method of claim 72, wherein the disease is selected from the group consisting of coronary disease, myocardial infarction, atherosclerotic peripheral vascular disease, cerebrovascular disease, stroke, renal disease, and cardiomyopathy.

75. (New) The method of claim 72, wherein the disease is coronary disease.

76. (New) The method of claim 72, wherein the disease is atherosclerotic peripheral vascular disease.

77. (New) The method of claim 72, wherein the mammal has or is at risk for undergoing an acute thrombotic event.

78. (New) The method of claim 77, wherein the acute thrombotic event is a stroke or a heart attack.